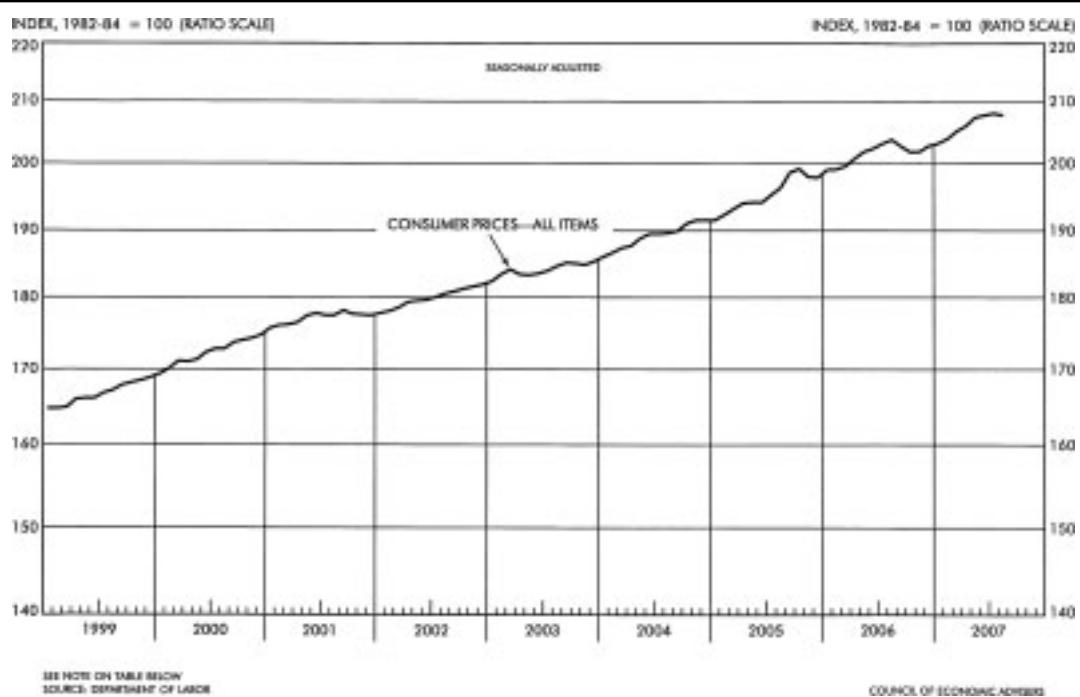


## CONSUMER PRICES—ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

In August, the consumer price index for all urban consumers fell 0.1 percent seasonally adjusted; it fell 0.2 percent not seasonally adjusted. The index was 2.0 percent above its year-earlier level.



[1982-84=100, except as noted; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted]

Period	All items <sup>1</sup>		Food	Housing			Fuels and utilities	Appliance	Transportation		Medical care	Energy <sup>2</sup>	All items less food and energy			
	Not seasonally adjusted (NSA)	Seasonally adjusted		Shelter		Owners' equivalent rent (12/82=100)			Total <sup>1</sup>	Total <sup>1</sup>						
				Total <sup>1</sup>	Rent of primary residence	Total <sup>1</sup>				Motor fuel						
Rel. imp. <sup>3</sup> .....	100.0	.....	13.9	42.7	32.8	5.9	23.8	5.3	3.7	17.2	4.3	6.3	8.7	77.4		
1997 .....	160.5	.....	157.3	156.8	176.3	166.7	181.9	130.8	132.9	144.3	106.2	234.6	111.5	169.5		
1998 .....	163.0	.....	160.7	160.4	182.1	172.1	187.8	128.5	133.0	141.6	92.2	242.1	102.9	173.4		
1999 .....	166.6	.....	164.1	163.9	187.3	177.5	192.9	128.8	131.3	144.4	100.7	250.6	106.6	177.0		
2000 .....	172.2	.....	167.8	169.6	193.4	183.9	198.7	137.9	129.6	153.3	129.3	260.8	124.6	181.3		
2001 .....	177.1	.....	173.1	176.4	200.6	192.1	206.3	150.2	127.3	154.3	124.7	272.8	129.3	186.1		
2002 .....	179.9	.....	176.2	180.3	208.1	199.7	214.7	143.6	124.0	152.9	116.6	285.6	121.7	190.5		
2003 .....	184.0	.....	180.0	184.8	213.1	205.5	219.9	154.5	120.9	157.6	135.8	297.1	136.5	193.2		
2004 .....	188.9	.....	186.2	189.5	218.8	211.0	224.9	161.9	120.4	163.1	160.4	310.1	151.4	196.6		
2005 .....	195.3	.....	190.7	195.7	224.4	217.3	230.2	179.0	119.5	173.9	195.7	323.2	177.1	200.9		
2006 .....	201.6	.....	195.2	203.2	232.1	225.1	238.2	194.7	119.5	180.9	221.0	336.2	196.9	205.9		
2006: Aug .....	203.9	203.8	195.8	204.0	233.4	226.2	239.6	193.9	119.7	188.7	253.7	338.0	211.4	206.9		
Sept .....	202.9	202.7	196.5	204.6	234.2	227.1	240.4	194.8	120.3	181.0	219.5	338.9	196.0	207.3		
Oct .....	201.8	201.8	197.0	204.6	234.9	228.0	241.2	190.9	119.7	175.5	196.2	339.9	182.9	207.6		
Nov .....	201.5	201.9	196.8	205.5	235.9	228.8	242.1	192.9	119.6	174.1	193.0	340.7	182.5	207.8		
Dec .....	201.8	202.8	196.8	206.3	236.6	229.8	242.8	195.3	119.8	177.0	206.5	341.3	190.1	208.1		
2007: Jan .....	202.416	203.153	198.173	206.799	237.350	230.670	243.279	195.818	120.180	175.661	200.234	344.046	187.340	208.632		
Feb .....	203.499	203.906	199.728	207.616	238.043	231.642	243.988	198.215	120.805	175.749	200.921	345.686	188.952	209.135		
Mar .....	205.352	205.146	200.281	208.072	238.176	232.437	244.646	200.689	119.541	180.584	222.136	345.994	200.164	209.263		
Apr .....	206.686	205.999	201.111	208.547	238.981	233.001	245.079	200.647	119.165	182.835	232.663	347.316	204.969	209.634		
May .....	207.949	207.387	201.794	208.912	239.550	233.654	245.277	200.602	118.772	187.879	256.776	348.467	216.073	209.948		
June .....	208.352	207.784	202.773	209.617	240.547	234.254	245.778	200.780	118.063	187.592	254.122	349.272	214.911	210.436		
July .....	208.299	208.028	203.311	209.959	241.112	234.903	246.191	200.791	118.585	187.002	249.813	351.450	212.732	210.933		
Aug .....	207.917	207.738	204.143	209.933	241.475	235.349	246.761	199.053	117.936	184.702	237.534	353.209	205.920	211.250		

<sup>1</sup> Includes items not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> Relative importance, December 2006.

<sup>2</sup> Household fuels—gas (piped), electricity, fuel oil, etc.—and motor fuel. Motor oil, coolant, etc., excluded beginning 1983.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.